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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING ACCESS TO A DATA For: STREAM BY A PLURALITY OF USERS AT A SAME TIME

Enclosed are also:

<u>X</u> Pages of Specification including an Abstract 26

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8 Sheet(s) of Drawings

A Declaration and Power of Attorney

Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

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Total Claims	49	-20 =	29	X	\$ 18	=	\$522
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